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On Sunday last, Dr. Thomas Powell officiated at the anniversary of the United church at Olds. Thirty-five years ago last Sunday Mr. Powell accepted the pastorate of the church.

Rev. Dr. Ogden, who since Sunday has been conducting a mission at the United church, and who has been preaching to capacity houses, will occupy the pulpit of the Pincher Creek United church on Sunday evening next, and on Monday evening will deliver his lecture on "Pompeii."

Monday next, November the 26th, will be observed as the tenth birthday of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League. There will be a national broadcast on that date. The week of November 17th to 23rd is called Legion Week, in which branches are asked to carry on an intensive membership campaign. Broadcasts each night this week and Monday next from 7.10 to 7.25 p.m.

The town council of Macleod has received word from the Blairmore council, suggesting that a party of mayors of South Alberta towns be held, to deal with relief problems. Mayor McDonald will attend if such party is held.

Mrs. Campbell, mother of Dr. R. H. Campbell, of Coleman, passed away recently at Arcola, Saskatchewan. The remains were laid to rest at Carnduff, Sask. Dr. Campbell was enroute to Arcola when his mother passed away.

His Worship the Mayor drew the lucky ticket which awarded the beautiful satin comforter to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meade at St. Anne's bazaar last night. In the tombola draw, Paul Baratelli received the ten-dollar cheque donated by Mrs. Vissac. Miss Besse Pasmore, of Cranbrook, was another lucky guy. The bazaar was a success.

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## ANNUAL FESTIVAL MEETING DECEMBER 2nd

The executive and financial committees of the Crows' Nest Pass Musical Festival held a meeting at the Greenhill hotel on Monday, at which reports for the year's work were presented and plans laid for the annual general meeting.

The annual meeting this year will take the form of a banquet, to be held in the Greenhill Grill on Monday, December 2nd, at 7.30 p.m., tickets 75 cents, following which the officers for the coming year will be elected.

The banquet is open to the public and anyone desiring tickets will please notify any of the festival committee members or the secretary, Mrs. Farmer, before Friday, November 29th.

## INSIDE STORIES OF THE STREET

As a result of the steady climb in Wall Street prices since last spring to recent record highs for the year, the portfolio of the Sun Life Assurance Company has shown an appreciation of millions upon millions of dollars. Just how well this portfolio was built up can be gauged from the rapidity with which many of the stocks the company is principally interested in bounded up from the low levels once the market got straightened out. Johns Manville, of which the company had about 16,000 shares, has come all the way from a low level in March of 38 1/2 to make a high price of 94 1/2.

General Electric, in which the holdings of the company are over 300,000 shares has climbed from \$20 to close to \$40, or practically doubled its value. American Can., of which the company's holding are about 14,000 shares, in a little over a year has gone from around \$80 to within a fraction of \$150. The industrial have been the big stocks of this year, but more recently the company's large holdings of public utilities have started to give a better account of themselves. With obnoxious legislation out of the way, it is felt that in succeeding markets public utilities might readily catch up on the advance during the current year in many industrial issues.—The Financial Times.

## QUAKER "EASY METHOD" TAKES WEST BY STORM

Since the recent offer of The Quaker Oats Company, Saskatoon, of a free booklet entitled "The Quaker Method of Easy Bread Baking," thousands of Western Canadian housewives have discovered that they can save time, work and waste in baking bread and rolls and other delicious foods.

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In 1905, Great Britain passed a law requiring self-propelled vehicles to be preceded by a man carrying a red flag. And in 1912 the Alberta laws required that self-propelled vehicles be preceded uphill and downhill by a man on foot.

## ARENA TO OPERATE

Arrangements have been made whereby the Blairmore Senior Hockey Club take over the arena on lease for a year, to operate same in the best interest of the people of Blairmore. The new management offer skating for everybody at attractive prices, first-class hockey matches, formation of a town commercial hockey league, free practices for all organized teams, repairs to the building, three sheets of curling ice, etc.

Election of officers resulted as follows: president, H. Spicer; vice-president, W. H. Chappell; secretary-treasurer, J. V. McDougall; manager, Rev. Dean M. A. Harrington; coach, Roland Pinkney; manager of arena building, L. Pozzi.

Repairs to the building have already been undertaken.

## FORMER RESIDENT OF BLAIRMORE AND BELLEVUE WEDS

A simple but impressive ceremony was the quiet wedding when Elizabeth Maude (Buzzy), daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Price Williams, of Calgary, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Paul Holmes, of Penicton, B.C., son of Mrs. W. E. G. Holmes, of Calgary, on Tuesday, November 12, at 11 a.m., in St. Saviour's Chapel, Penicton. Rev. W. S. Beames read the marriage laws.

Given in marriage by Mr. Charles Reisterer, the bride wore a tailored frock of mauve brown crepe with touches of gold on the collar and grille. She wore a Rose Valois off-the-face hat in matching tones and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Charles Reisterer was the bride's only attendant. Mr. James McLean was best man.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reisterer. Pink chrysanthemums and tapers were used to centre the table. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes are spending their wedding trip at the Pacific Coast, and after December 1st will be at home in Penicton.

Melville Reade, of Cranbrook, is charged with causing the death of Mah Sue, a Chinaman, on November the 9th, and will stand trial on the charge of manslaughter at the May assizes at Cranbrook. He has been admitted to bail of \$5,000.

Hon. Mr. Manning told a tourist convention in Spokane recently that Alberta didn't need advertising now, as Social Credit is giving it all kinds of advertising. But tourists come to see and be entertained, and Social Credit so far is neither visible nor entertaining.—Lethbridge Herald.

We hear a lot about the "terrible mess" into which Alberta's finances had gotten when the new government was ready to take over. But Canada had been forced to increase debt during the five years of the depression by more than \$600,000,000, and Premier King hasn't said a word about a terrible mess in Ottawa. He just went to work to make the best of things. Work beats talk every time.—Lethbridge Herald.

The Canadian West has had two very capable representatives in the East for the past few weeks, the Rev. A. E. Larke, of Blairmore, Alta., and the Rev. L. W. Schnell, of St. Walburg, Sask., who have been addressing congregations in the interests of missions with great acceptance and success. At the suggestion of the Board of Home Missions, the ministers of Toronto entertained the westerners at a luncheon—in Wesley Buildings, and invited them to tell of their work on the frontier. Dr. R. B. Cochrane presided, and the appreciation of the ministers and officials was fittingly expressed by Dr. J. R. P. Slater.—The New Outlook.

## FERNIE ELKS GIVE UP CLUB, BUT FUNCTION AS A LODGE

An erroneous impression seems to have gotten around that the Fernie Elks had ceased to function, but for the benefit of those who are wrongly informed the following information will be of interest:

For years after the Elks were organized here they operated successfully as a lodge without a cent, doing good wherever and whenever the occasion arose. Large donations were made to the needy and at Christmas time hampers and clothing were distributed, not to members, but to those who were unfortunate in needing assistance, and not only in Fernie, but in the entire surrounding district.

Then the children were always made happy by an annual kiddies' day, the entire cost of which was borne by the Elks. They also were the sponsors of a huge Christmas tree, from which every child in town received a bag of good things to eat.

During the past two or three years they have been unable to keep up this good work, owing to the conditions prevailing generally, and rather than struggle to carry on with something which was too big a financial drain for the present status of the members, they have decided to give up their club and dispose of the club furnishings.

By giving up their club and the expense of same, the lodge will continue to function just as it did when it was first organized. The club was opened years after the lodge was organized, so in giving it up the lodge still retains all that it originally started with, and all unnecessary expense cut out. Surely, this is sound economy and should really be of benefit to the city, as it means the continuation of Elksdom as a lodge whereas if the club were retained it would only be a matter of a short time when Elksdom would cease entirely in Fernie, because it would be an impossibility to maintain it.

Mrs. Freeman Lank has been elected president of the Women's Institute of Nova Scotia. Her present home is at Bass River. She with her husband formerly resided in Blairmore and Cowley.

The mission being conducted at the United church this week by Dr. J. Williams Ogden, of Vancouver, concludes tonight with his popular illustrated lecture on "Pompeii." Large audiences have been enjoying this mission, many folks coming in from Coleman, Bellevue and Hillcrest.

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Joseph A. Clarke was on Wednesday last re-elected mayor of Edmonton by a substantial majority over two opponents.

The charge preferred against Koska, driver of the ill-fated car in which Lena Cudmore came to her death, that of driving at an excessive rate of speed, has been withdrawn. Koska will likely face a charge of manslaughter, and has been remanded to appear for preliminary hearing on Tuesday next.

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Lamb Leg	Lb 23c
Lamb Chops	Lb 18c
Steaming Lamb	4 lbs 25c

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

More than 80 anarchists have been arrested in Tokyo and Osaka and are being held on charges of planning an anarchist uprising.

The full name of the Duke and Duchess of Kent's son will be Edward George Nicholas Paul Patrick. It was unofficially reported. He will be known as Prince Edward of Kent. Canada, in time, will have a population of 179,000,000. It has been predicted by Prof. Griffith Taylor, formerly inducted into the new chair of geography at the University of Toronto.

People who live on streets with English, French and Belgian names in San Remo, Turin, Milan and other Italian cities have asked authorities to change them to "Aduwa", "Makale", or "Italia".

Sergeant-Pilot Park, whose home is in British Columbia, and two other men of the Royal Air Force, were instantly killed when two planes collided 1,000 feet over the Abingdon station.

The Alberta government will enforce the provincial Trade and Industry Act, after certain changes, the Calgary branch of the Retail Merchants' Association has been assured by Premier Aberhart.

The Young Women's Christian Association announced that Lady Tweedsmuir, wife of Canada's new governor-general, had consented to become patroness of the association in Canada.

Another step in the modernization of ancient Palestine was taken recently when the Arab town of Tul-karem, in the central part of the country, was illuminated with electricity for the first time.

Notwithstanding the recent series of fatal aeroplane crashes, U.S. senate commerce subcommittee investigators have concluded after a thorough survey that travel by air today is "three times safer than it was 10 years ago."

## Climbing Out Of Depression

British Dominions Seem To Be Leading The World

Which are the nations who are climbing most rapidly out of the depression? They are the British nations. Canada's trade leaped up 22 per cent. last month. Inspiring news comes also from little New Zealand, where Mr. Coates, the finance minister, boldly states that the Dominion's economic problems are "largely solved." Cuts are being restored, emergency taxes reduced, pensions increased. On top of that Mr. Coates gives a new break to his countrymen. Population of New Zealand, 1,618,000; public works expenditure announced, \$5,850,000. That means the inauguration of new homes and amenities for New Zealanders at the rate of \$3 10s a head.—London Daily Express.

In Italy, where the cost of a radio receiver license is high, there are only about 200,000 listeners in a population of 40,000,000.

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## Saskatchewan Winning In Fight Against Tuberculosis With Aid of Christmas Seals

Definite proof that Saskatchewan is winning out in its fight against tuberculosis is afforded by the steadily decreasing death rate from this disease and the lessened demand for accommodation in the three sanatoria of the province.

A few years ago, with these three institutions operating full capacity, over 100 patients had to be housed in regular hospitals. This total has now been reduced to 20, and within another year, it is confidently anticipated, all tuberculous patients in the province will be housed in the three sanatoria provided for this purpose. Further, the death rate in Saskatchewan on a per capita basis is lower than in any other province of Canada, and very close to being the lowest in the entire world. Not long ago the death rate from tuberculosis was three in 1,000 every year; the present death rate from tuberculosis in Saskatchewan is one in 1,000 every two years.

The Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League began its fight against the great white plague in 1910 and in 1917, with the co-operation of the Provincial Government, the first sanatorium was erected at Fort Qu'Appelle. Two additional sanatoria have since been provided, one at Saskatoon and another at Prince Albert, with a total bed accommodation of 720.

Another great forward step was taken in 1920 when Saskatchewan, in advance of any other Canadian province or any other nation in the world, established free treatment for tubercular people. Funds for the care of the tuberculous sick in these institutions is provided through taxation by the Provincial Government and the urban and rural municipalities.

### Preventive Work

The preventive work of the League, financed by the proceeds from the sale of Christmas Seals, is in a large measure responsible for the decrease in the number of cases and in curtailing the spread of the disease. Clinics are held monthly at Regina, Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Swift Current, Yorkton, Canora, Melfort and Tisdale, at which free examination is available for all with symptoms of the disease or who have been in contact with the tuberculous sick.

Discovery of the disease in its early stages makes recovery more certain and lessens the period of treatment—thus reducing the burden on the general taxpayer.

All the funds derived from the sale of Christmas Seals are utilized for this preventive work. Last year \$9,983 was realized, making possible the carrying out of the following extensive work:

3,117 persons exposed to tuberculosis or being suspected by their doctors were examined at the three sanatoria.

2,846 "contacts" or "suspects" were examined at the regular clinics.

1,257 persons were examined by the travelling doctors from the sanatoria.

510 "contacts," mostly children, were examined by their family doctors.

870 Normal School pupils were examined.

3,871 school children were examined on curricula of special areas.

12 babies of mothers with tuberculosis were cared for in the Preventorium. The L.O.D.E. helped with the cost of this.

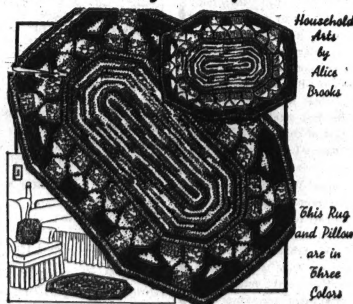
12,483 A total that is getting larger every year.

This year's Christmas Seals, reproductions of which are shown herewith, are colored red, yellow and blue. They may be used to brighten letters and parcels and their purchase will assist a great and necessary humanitarian cause. Residents of every community in Saskatchewan will receive letters containing sheets of Christmas Seals. Their value is one dollar a sheet—one cent a seal.

The fight against tuberculosis now being waged unceasingly and with such encouraging results, must go on. All can help by purchasing Christmas Seals. Your small contribution, combined with those of the thousands of other good citizens who cheerfully contribute each year to this worthy effort, will assist in still further reducing the mortality from this preventable disease.



## Crochet a Rug For Your Home



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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

## Was Entirely Trustworthy

Sir Frederick Ponsonby Given Secret Letters By Kaiser's Mother

Baron Sysonby of Womersley, better known as Sir Frederick Ponsonby, for 20 years keeper of His Majesty's privy purse, who died a short time ago, had served in the households of Queen Victoria and King Edward and few of their aides enjoyed greater confidence.

He was descended on his mother's side from the second Earl Grey, author of the Reform Bill of 1832. He was the second son of General Sir Henry Ponsonby, for many years private secretary to Queen Victoria.

He was appointed assistant keeper of Victoria's privy purse in 1894 and there followed a long series of highly confidential posts at Buckingham Palace. When the Empress Victoria, the Queen's daughter, widow of Emperor Frederick, was dying at Friedrichshof in 1901 she summoned Sir Frederick from London secretly and entrusted to him her private correspondence, saying:

"I do not want a soul, certainly not Willie (her son the Kaiser Wilhelm II.) to know you have got them."

He succeeded in taking to London two large corded boxes and when the Empress died the grounds of the castle were surrounded by cavalry and police while searchers for the letters ransacked every room. He kept the letters for 27 years and then decided on their publication "in the interests of historic truth."

When the letters of his mother were published in England in the Fall of 1928 the former Kaiser was reported to contemplate legal action to suppress the book. A few weeks later, however, it was said in Berlin that Wilhelm not only urged the unaltered publication of the letters in German, but had written a 1,700-word introduction to the German edition, the translation to be supervised by Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

## Pioneers Honored

Cairn Unveiled By Founder Of First Icelandic Settlement

The dramatic history of Icelandic pioneers who first landed on the shores of Lake Winnipeg in 1875, was fittingly marked 60 years after when a memorial was unveiled at Gimli, Man., by Captain Sigtryggur Jonsson, first discoverer of the site of what is now Gimli.

Jonsson, approaching his 80th year, brought the first group of Icelandic settlers to Gimli in 1875 from Moorhead, Minn., by way of Winnipeg. The party made the trip in scows constructed in Winnipeg, and sailed down the Red river and along the west shore of Lake Winnipeg to their new home.

The cairn, built of local granite stone, has a 13-ton red granite boulder fixed to the top, symbolizing the lasting qualities of the early pioneers. On the west side of the boulder, engraved in Icelandic and English, is the following inscription: "The first Icelandic settlers arrived here Oct. 21, 1875." The names of the various districts of the first settlement are carried on the reverse face of the cairn.

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"No, sir."

"But I thought you did. What do you do for a living, then?"

"I drive the horse that pulls the milk cart, sir."

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON NOVEMBER 24 THE MESSAGE OF HAGGAI

Golden text: I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go unto the house of the Lord Psalm 122:1.

Lesson: Ezra 3:1 to 10:22; Psalm 84:1-12; Haggai, Chapters 1, 2; Zechariah 4:1-10.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 122.

### Explanations And Comments

Combating the Mental Attitude of the People, Haggai 1:1-6. This address of the prophet Haggai was made to Zerubbabel, the governor of what was now the Persian province of Judah, and to Joshua, the high priest, in the sixth month, in the first day of the month, in the second year of Darius the Persian king, B.C. 520.

"It is not the time for us to come, the time for Jehovah's house to be built," the disheartened people were saying, but Haggai was sure that it was the time God would have them build. They were waiting for the right time, the psychic moment, as it were, to build, but they had not waited for the time to build their own house. The prophet reminded them.

Some of them had built exceptionally fine houses, paneled with costly cedar, but the site of the house of Jehovah was still lying waste, although they had now been living for 15 years in Jerusalem. The trouble was that they lacked the desire, and Haggai used forcible words to arouse their desire. He brought them back upon the land, withering everything (verse 11); they had lacked food and drink enough to satisfy themselves, and clothes enough to keep them warm; and so low were the wages paid that it seemed as if the money was lost as soon as it came, as if it just dropped through holes in a bag. All this was true; what was the prophet's remedy? He challenged their conscience.

"Now, therefore, thus saith Jehovah of hosts, Consider your ways. Henceforth, think of the house of Jehovah, and consider what you have been doing. All had been zealous about building their own houses, but they had not thought to the house of Jehovah, verse 8. They had only themselves to blame. You looked for much, and, lo, it came to little; and when you brought it home, I did blow upon it. Why? Because of the house of Jehovah. My house that lieth waste, while ye run every man to his own house, therefore for your sake the heavens withhold rain, and the earth withhold its fruit."

The Result of Haggai's Appeal, Haggai 1:12-15. Within three weeks the temple site presented a busy scene, for, inspired by the prophet's words, the governor and the priest and the people all began to work upon the temple building.

### Endorses Light Clothing

Welsh Doctor Believes It One Preventive Against T.B.

During a discussion on his annual report, Dr. Milton Jones, medical officer for Llanslyffid rural council, said he found girls under 20 were less susceptible to tuberculosis than boys under 20 and said the reason was that girls wore scanty clothing, which allowed sunlight and fresh air to get at them. Women, too, were less susceptible to tuberculosis than men because they wore less clothing.

When the doctor said that with correct diet nobody need suffer from indigestion a member remarked that doctors suffered from indigestion. Dr. Jones replied that that was because doctors were so often called away from their meals.

### Followed Instructions

"Now you must be very careful how you answer," said the counsel, "and not say anything that is strictly true. You drive a milk cart, don't you?"

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## ASK YOUR DOCTOR FIRST, MOTHER

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## Fire Chief Battles Water

Rescued People From Flooded District in Montreal

Arthur Ferron, acting district chief of the Montreal fire department, has celebrated the 30th anniversary of his joining the fire fighters. In the years since he joined the brigade he has been repeatedly decorated for brilliant rescue work at bad fires, but his greatest rescue had nothing to do with his arch enemy, fire. In the half light of a below-zero dawn, a three foot water main burst in a crowded Montreal district. The streets were flooded and houses were collapsing when Capt. Ferron and his crew arrived. Despite the imminent danger, however, this veteran smoke-eater rescued two entire families who were on the point of drowning. For his bravery he received the Royal Canadian Humane Society's life-saving medal.

## Safety For Pedestrians

Pedestrians who must walk alongside highways at night will find their measure of safety increased if they carry or wear a white object, Keystone Automobile Club officials pointed out at Philadelphia. A white handkerchief, for instance, displayed against dark clothing, increases a hiker's chances of being seen by motorists by approximately 100 feet.

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Blairmore, Alta., Thurs., Nov. 21, 1935

# WHO TAKES THE RAP?

The everyday American is a goose. He struts and hisses at any thing, good or bad, and quiets down only when a friendly hand feeds him something he likes—a fat salary, low rent, freedom from tax, a dole, or what have you?

"Soak the Rich," someone shouts, and like silly geese we hiss and get ourselves all steamed up, with never a thought of what too much "soaking" will mean.

What would happen if we actually taxed the rich until they were rich no longer? Think it over sensibly instead of flying into a transport of joy over the idea.

Take wealth away from all and you immediately throw hundreds of thousands out of employment—the maids, cooks, chauffeurs, gardeners, hostlers, butlers, and others who earn their livelihood in wealthy homes.

Without wealth, who will purchase expensive estates, automobiles, race horses, yachts, etc? More men out of employment—thousands of them. Without wealthy men where shall we send our wives when an urgent operation is necessary? Not to a hospital. Hospitals are not supported by men of moderate means. Where shall our children find a college, a library, a theatre? Do you think you and I will get together with a few million others and supply these things?

Who will supply the money for our railroads, bridges and office buildings? Will we? If no man has more than his share of America's wealth, who can undertake to finance anything requiring real money?

What care I if a man makes a million dollars a year, provided he spends most of it to give employment to scores of men and women. It isn't the wealthy spenders we should soak. It's the wealthy saver—the man who makes millions and hoards it. When he dies soak him properly with the inheritance tax, but if he lives and spends liberally it might be wise to let him increase his factories, increase his employees, and continue to purchase the high-

priced commodities that none but the rich can afford. The making and selling of these commodities will give work and wage to you and me.—Wainwright Star.

# QUINTUPLETS BIRTH IN 1878 DISCOVERED

MONTREAL, Aug. 20.—A clipping from a San Francisco newspaper of 60 years ago, The Chronicle, recording the birth of quintuplets to the wife of an Australian settler, has been found here.

The clipping was discovered in a scrap book belonging to the late Alfred Hirst, traveller, soldier, policeman, and collector of oddities. It said the quintuplets, three boys and two girls, were born to the wife of a southern Australia farmer called Jacob Schuler, a German, in October 1878. All were alive and healthy.

Mrs. Schuler, who, with her husband and family, lived about 30 miles from Kapunda, was reputed to have been an enormous person, "standing six feet four in her stockings and turning the balance at exactly 244 pounds seven ounces." She had already given birth to at least five children, including two pairs of twins, "a fact deemed of so little importance in her remarkable efforts to increase the population of her adopted country," states the Chronicle, "that no exact dates of the occurrences were made."

The clipping adds: "Her crowning effort, and one that would, had she lived in America, at once given her the title of the champion child-producer, took place in October, 1878. She gave birth to three boys and two girls. It appears from published accounts that Mrs. Schuler was at work about the house preparing her husband's dinner, when she was compelled on account of indisposition to retire to her couch. Her mother called the husband from his work in the barn, and he, in turn, dispatched a boy employer about the place for a Mrs. Haines, who acted occasionally as a midwife.

"This woman lived about five miles away; and though she knew what she was wanted for and hastened accordingly, she had not reached the residence of Schuler until two children had been born. There was ample need of her services, however, for three more little ones were added to the Schuler family. Every one present appears to have been greatly astonished, for though Mrs. Schuler already had made a reputation in this line, so great an event was altogether unexpected.

"The father of the five is said to have sat down stupidly and mechanically gazing from one infant to the other, simply muttering, 'Mein Gott Mein Gott!' There were three boys



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# ST. LUKE'S CHURCH NOTES

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and two girls, but no facts as to their weight and appearance immediately after birth are given. All of them are alive and are said to be very healthy."

The story goes on to relate that a six-penny subscription was opened in the district for the infants, and it was suggested that it would equal, and probably exceed \$10,000. A full account of the case was submitted to the secretary for the colonies in London at the time.

A footnote concludes: "Michael Hegarty, the Australian Barnum, is said to have offered Mr. Schuler \$250 a week and all expenses of himself, wife and five children to travel, but the offer was declined."—Boston Post.

# STORY WITH A MORAL

The following, where a moral is shown, is taken from an exchange: "Recently a church congregation in a little Kansas town built a new church. To pay for it they were obliged to call on the merchants of the community for donations. The merchants responded liberally and \$300 was raised from that source. The last man asked to subscribe was John Smith, a merchant. 'I will give you \$20.00 if you will allow me to add something to the list,' he said. The permission was granted and he wrote at the foot of the list: John Smith. \$20.00 Mail Order House \$60.00 Peddler and Transient Trader \$60.00

"The church people saw the point when the minister read from the pulpit a list of the donors to the building fund, and since the dedication of that church there have been no more mail orders sent out from that town."—Exchange.

To be active and alert, to catch the passing hour as it flies, to keep all the faculties at the stretch, to avoid loafing and idling, to toil fiercely and ungrudgingly—this is the modern gospel, and, on the whole, a good one. It is better to be worn out than to rust out.

# AUSTRALIAN "CORROBOREE"

As a result of the success of the big Scout jamboree near Melbourne over the last year end, South Australian Scouts are planning a big Corroboree for December the 26th, 1936, to January 4th, 1937, to be held on a 200-acre site in the Mount Lofty ranges ten miles from Adelaide. Scouts from all other countries will be invited.

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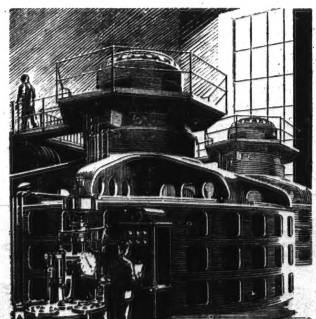
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## District News

From Our Own Correspondents

### COWLEY HAPPENINGS

The Cowley Girls' Club held a very  
successful whist drive in the Masonic  
hall on Thursday night. Twelve  
tables were at play, winners being  
Miss Madeleine Hewitt, ladies' first;  
Mrs. Nelson Askew, consolation; Ed-  
die Smyth, gent's first; Jimmy Mc-  
Kay, consolation. The moving prize  
was won by Steve Yagos. After a  
delicious repast, a lively dance was  
indulged in for a couple of hours.

Misses Selma and Marie Wood  
spent a few days in Lethbridge over  
the week end.

Joe Wilson and Arthur were recent  
visitors to Lethbridge.

Sam Fong, proprietor of the Cow-  
ley cafe, is on a six months' visit to  
China.

Mrs. Archie Swart entertained the  
Ladies' Aid of the United church  
at her home on Thursday afternoon.

The Cowley ladies' handicraft so-  
ciety was entertained by Mrs. F. A.  
Fustian at her home on Wednesday  
evening.

Mrs. Askew and daughter Mazie,  
of Nobleford, accompanied by John  
Shearer, also of Nobleford, are guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Askew at  
present.

### FIGURES INTERESTING

Editor, The Hanna Herald: The  
election figures are very interesting.  
From these I gather that in the pro-  
vincial election there was a total poll  
of approximately 202,000 votes, 164,  
000 going to the Aberhart party and  
138,000 to the opposition. The latter  
only obtaining 7 seats out of 63, in  
other words the Aberhartists polled  
only 26,000 more votes than the op-  
position parties and secured 88 per  
cent of the seats. In the federal  
election there was a total poll of  
237,473, Aberhartists having 110,436  
and securing 15 seats, the opposition  
parties polling 126,800, or over 16,000  
more votes, only gaining 2 seats. In  
Edmonton and Calgary, Aberhartists  
polled in the federal election 23,291  
and the opposition parties polled 47,  
000. In the provincial election, Aber-  
hartists polled 37,740 and the oppo-  
sition parties 42,556 or nearly 5,000  
more. Both elections clearly prove  
that the Aberhartists are in an elec-  
toral minority in these two important  
centres. There was an increased Con-  
servative vote in the federal over the  
provincial election of 21,500 and a de-  
creased Liberal vote of 19,650. The  
U.F.A., C.C.F. and Independents re-  
ceived about 12,500 less votes. There  
being 64,000 less voting in the federal  
than in the provincial election can be  
partly accounted for by so many  
men and women being busy har-  
vesting. Aberhartists received  
53,000 less votes in the federal than  
in the provincial election.—H. S.  
Gold, Delia, in The Hanna Herald.

### HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Thompson (nee Miss Mary  
Douglas), of Detroit, is a visitor at  
the home of her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Douglas.

The Girl Guides' tea and sale of  
home cooking, held on Saturday after-  
noon, was a success. The ham draw  
was won by Isabel Westrup, and the  
silver cheese dish by Theresa Balk-  
will.

Rev. Dr. Ogden delivered a very  
fine lecture in the United church on  
Thursday night. The church was  
filled to capacity. Mrs. Upton, of  
Bellevue, rendered a vocal solo.

Miss Mary Davies was a visitor at  
the home of Mrs. R. Richards last  
week.

Miss B. C. Sellon has received word  
that her brother is seriously ill in  
Eastern Canada.

Howard Scott, founder and direc-  
tor-in-chief of Technocracy, Inc., will  
lecture at the Victoria Pavilion, Cal-  
gary, at 8 o'clock on Monday even-  
ing next, November the 25th. He  
will speak in Edmonton on Saturday,  
the 23rd. Technocracy predicted the  
collapse of 1929. In 1932 it predicted  
the complete breakdown of the pre-  
sent economic system before 1940.

An editor has to be mighty careful  
about the order in which he arranges  
the news in his paper. The two  
items which follow had absolutely no  
connection with each other when they  
appeared one right after the other in  
the Boulder, Colorado, News-Herald,  
but we imagine the editor had to do  
some tall explaining before he pacified  
the Baptists of his community. "Thirty  
grown chickens were stolen from the  
ranch of Emil Anderson six miles  
south of Longmont, according

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to the report received at the Sheriff's  
office. The congregation of the Sec-  
ond Baptist Church will give another  
chicken dinner tomorrow at the I.O.  
O.F. hall."

The new government of Alberta  
discovers that liquor is a luxury and  
therefore should be taxed to bring in  
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ment at Ottawa made the same dis-  
covery and taxed spirits up to \$10 a  
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under the Empire treaties. Later, the  
Finance Minister made still further  
reductions on condition that Liquor  
Control Boards would pass the reduc-  
tions on to the public. The new Fi-  
nance Minister may take the stand  
that the Alberta luxury tax is in con-  
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### Difficult Problems

The problems which it may be expected will be discussed at the pending conference between representatives of the Federal government and premiers of the Canadian provinces will furnish plenty of material for conversations and negotiations.

If only one of the difficulties which the western provinces have recently experienced and still are experiencing in finding sufficient revenue to maintain their ordinary services, to saying nothing of contributing substantially towards the cost of relief, can be removed a forward step will have been taken, and representatives of the provinces will leave Ottawa with something a little more tangible than hope for speedy recovery and for future progress.

One of the factors in the present situation that will have to be faced squarely is the fact that the cost of government is pressing heavily on the taxpayers, that there is just so much money available for the upkeep of services and that a shifting of burdens from one unit to another is not the way out of the trouble, though it may be a temporary palliative.

If several buckets are dipping water out of a well which is not being replenished from natural sources it is only a question of time when the well will run dry, and in the long run it does not make very much difference which of the buckets took most of the water out of the well.

That is actually the position of the taxpayer in western Canada. There are three buckets drawing on his resources, the federal, the provincial and the municipal, the last mentioned, of course, including the schools.

The permanent solution of the difficulty lies not so much in a decision as to who is to be allowed to draw the most, or the least, water from the well but how the well is to be replenished, and until this can be determined, those in authority will have to address themselves to the task of finding ways and means of conserving the presently available supply and making the utmost of it.

There are many ways in which a conservation policy might be put into effect and one of the most practicable would be to eliminate a good deal of duplication and overlapping of services which have grown up, apparently without any blame attachable to any one in particular for the situation.

There are, for example, services which are being provided by both federal and provincial governments resulting in double costs for machinery and operation, in addition to a degree of confusion and ineffectiveness attendant upon two unrelated organizations trying to reach the same good by different roads.

In this category might be included debt adjustment machinery and to some extent agricultural services rendered by both federal and provincial administrations. These are only cited as illustrations of a number of fields of endeavor in which co-ordination of effort by a merger of duplicated services would not only bring about greater efficiency but would also save considerable expense to the taxpayers.

It is true that in connection with these and other activities in the same category objection might be raised that dual services are essential because of the limitations of legislative competence, but if that is the sole barrier in the way of economy, then necessary legislative authority to dislodge the difficulty should be sought and doubtless could be secured if a spirit of true co-operation on the part of all concerned is evidenced.

In the matter of sources of revenue also there is duplication which should be eliminated by a better defined allocation of spheres of taxation as between the several governing units. There should not, for instance, be two income taxes with two sets of costly machinery to gather the same type of tax from the same taxpayers, necessitating a double expenditure.

In pre-war and pre-depression years the fields of taxation were fairly well defined and understood and governments, in those days, confined their revenue collection efforts within well defined channels. First departures from recognized practice and prerogative came with the emergency demands of the war and subsequently, as financial and economic stringency became more severe, governments were loath to abandon what they had gained.

On the contrary, the practice of encroaching on one another's sources of income assumed serious proportions as the level of the water in the well declined and the demand for more and more water grew with greater intensity.

With this situation confronting them, the participants in the conference will face a difficult task. While, no doubt, many suggested methods for replenishing depleted incomes will be offered, first thought probably will be given to conservation of the existing resources, and one of the most practicable means of doing this will be to stretch the tax dollar by eliminating duplication. This can be done, not only without impairing the services involved but should result in improving them and at a lesser cost.

### Built Himself A House

Russian in Montreal Found He Had Broken Law

Cold weather was coming on and Ukraine Vinchuk, 50, had no place to sleep. So Ukraine, a native of Russia, picked himself out a spot on the side of Mount Royal in Montreal, cut all the wood he needed from the trees on the mountain, and built himself a nice comfortable shack to spend the winter. Everything was going fine until two husky police constables hustled Vinchuk off to court on a charge of desecrating the park. Recorder F. Semple allowed him to go on condition he demolished the structure.

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War Veteran Has Developed Memory To Remarkable Extent

Captain Gerald Lowry, a blinded veteran of the World War, recently was one of the champion pair at the British Bridge League Congress at Harrogate, England. His partner was a woman. Not only did they win but they were always the first pair to finish their hands.

Blindness has its compensations. Nature to some extent redresses the balance by developing other faculties. Captain Lowry is a remarkable example of overcoming the handicap and lives a more active and normal life than most people. He has developed his memory to such an extent that when a friend whispers the designations of his cards to him he remembers them throughout the game and where he has arranged them. When he has to play dummy, the cards are named to him and he remembers them, too. The rest is easy. During the Harrogate tournament he played 32 calls and never forgot a card.

Captain Lowry before the war was an ardent golfer and amateur boxer. He still plays golf and boxes. He tees his own ball and drives by instinct. His caddy tells him where his ball lies and where he should hit it to and he never misses. He also learned osteopathy and has built up one of the most lucrative practices in London. — St. Thomas Times-Journal.

### Began In Ice Age

Scientists Believe Recent 'Quake' Originated 25,000 Years Ago

Persons whose sleep was interrupted by the recent earthquake may blame it on the great Ice Age. It is at least 25,000 years since the Ice Age ended, scientists estimate, but it was these same scientists who fixed its guilt.

Dr. L. C. Conant, director of the Cornell University seismological station, explained the general theory of earthquakes in the northeast is the earth is gradually recovering from the burden of a sheet of ice one to two miles thick.

"The melting of this tremendous glacier," he said, "took a tremendous pressure off the earth's crust. Every once in a while the earth stretches back a bit, moving just a trifle upward and northward. As a matter of fact, our instruments indicated there was a slight tilt to the north."

### Science Tackles Lipstick

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### Bigger Braille Library

Books Are Large And More Space Is Required

The rebuilding of part of the National Library for the Blind, in Great Smith-street and Tufin-street, Westminster, England, which has now been completed, provides extended accommodation for about 250,000 Braille volumes, together with up-to-date facilities for receiving and despatching books and music on loan to blind readers in the British Isles. Considerable storage space is required in a library of this kind, as an average Braille volume measures 14 inches by 11 inches, and weighs five pounds.

The number of volumes circulated averages 1,200 per day. — Overseas Daily Mail.

### Cannot Get Italian Marble

League of Nations' sanctions against Italy have created an unusual situation in connection with the new League palace which was scheduled to be occupied in November. Most of the Rome marble used in construction of the palace comes from Italy, and much of it is still due to arrive. League sanctions prohibiting the reception of goods under existing contract, so the League must look for its marble elsewhere.

Charwoman (to neighbor with whom she is having a spat)—What I say is, there is ladies' aid, ladies—an you ain't neither. 2125

### Reform In Examinations

President Of University Of Alberta Would Make Entrance Less Rigid

Entrance examinations to the University of Alberta were in the process of being made less rigid and formal, Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the university, told 200 southern Alberta high school teachers in an address. He called the final examinations "the bugbear of Alberta teachers."

Reform in examinations would be directed towards leaving the teachers free to express themselves individually and then giving some fundamental, broad test to students matriculating from high school to university, Dr. Wallace said.

"We are trying to achieve the aim at the university that every examination paper-net shall have one or two questions which cannot possibly be answered by memorizing notes," he continued.

The university president read as an example of the type of examination the university authorities to determine a scholarship winner last year. They included general examinations to test knowledge in the fields of English, history, science and mathematics, having none of the formal type of examination question.

Expression of the teachers' personality must be made easier, Dr. Wallace declared, and lessening of the strict examination rules would be the most effective method of accomplishing this end.

All types of political and social theories should be taught in school, Dr. Wallace asserted, but teachers should keep their own personal bias on such subjects in the background.

### Would Conserve Game Birds

Visitor To Alberta Advocates Hunting With Hawks

Alberta offers an ideal place for the ancient and honorable art of falconry—the hunting of game birds with hawks—according to Capt. Luff Meredith of New York.

First met by the falcons in Alberta, Capt. Meredith was in Calgary after a visit to the Rosebud district, where he flew five birds—an Alberta gosawk. He did not hunt game birds with his hawks, but flew them loose after pigeons. "The falconry advocates his chosen sport as a means of conserving game birds, at the same time aiding in the extermination of birds of prey such as crows and magpies."

"I believe the sport would be a great conservator of game birds in the west," he declared. "Unlike shooting, an entire party can share in the thrills of hawking."

If hawks were used generally instead of guns, the death rate among game birds would be cut to about one-tenth, he said.

### Would Make Effort

Frederick the Great was very proud of his tall grenadiers. One day, says the Christian Science Monitor, when he was reviewing them, he was accompanied by Sir Robert Sutton, whom he asked if he thought an equal number of Englishmen could beat them. "Sir, I do not venture to assert that," replied Sir Robert, "but I know that half the number would try."

### Case Is Unique

John Timko of New Toronto went to work at a factory with a clear conscience recently—he paid back \$12.40 relief money he received in 1934 when he was sick and out of work. Relief officials said it was the first case of its kind in the history of the town.

Japan will spend more than \$34,000,000 to aid civil aviation in the next few years, the money to be used for extension of air mail services, training of pilots and improvement of flying facilities.

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### Cattle Exports To U.S.

117,000 Head Shipped From Canada For First Ten Months

Approximately 100,000 head of heavy cattle have been exported from Canada to United States in the first 10 months of this year. Figures to the end of October reveal 117,000 head have gone over and it is estimated that 17,000 were calves. U.S. tariff on live cattle is three cents a pound when the animal is over 700 pounds and 2½ cents when below that weight. So a 1,100-pound steer would meet a customs duty of \$33.

The year has witnessed an entire reversal in the export trade in Canadian cattle. Last year nearly all Canadian cattle exports for the first 10 months went to the United Kingdom. The total shipments were 46,500. For the corresponding period this year they were 4,000 whereas the shipments to United States jumped from 4700 cattle and calves last year to 117,000 this year.

The reason for the shift was the shortage of beef cattle in the United States and relatively lower prices in United Kingdom market.

1935 Tobacco Crop Valued At \$8,000,000

Flue-Cured Tobacco Industry In Ontario Run On Scientific Lines

It looks as if the \$8,000,000 valuation put upon the Ontario flue-cured tobacco crop by the experts will be exceeded by the value of the actual purchasing made by Canadian and foreign manufacturers within the next few days. Yet it is only a few years since tobacco-growing in Canada was practically limited to a few farmers raising it for personal use or for a limited local market. Now approximately 30,000 acres of best soil in Southern Ontario are almost exclusively devoted to the growing of tobacco leaf in a scientific way. This year's crop amounting to 30,000,000 pounds, and having a selling-value \$5,000,000 in excess of the crop return of 1934. The finest cigarettes and other tobacco products in Canada incorporate Canadian tobacco leaves. The large increasing quantities where, hitherto, American and other tobaccos had been used, while the Canadian leaf also has an excellent market in Great Britain in competition with foreign leaf.

The Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada, Limited, which buys a great part of the Canadian crop, has had much to do with the great strides taken by the flue-cured growing districts because it has had a policy for years of trying to encourage domestic production. First, however, it was necessary to gradually teach growers what and how to grow in order to meet the present long-accumulated demand for foreign leaf. The company, at its own expense, imported cultivation experts, brought in the necessary plants for experimentation, made its own chemical and other researches of soils of moisture, and other conditions contributory to the best grades of tobacco, taught the grower on his own land by introducing experimental plots, and in other ways interested him in improving and enlarging his crop for the uses of the domestic market. It also illustrated to him the precise processes by which the domestic market might be developed in a profitable way. The and the researches of government experts, combined largely to producing the present condition, and to the creation from a small and unmarketable crop, a large and marketable crop, valued at more than \$5,000,000 a year.

The official edict has gone forth that the new styles for the ultra fashionable gowns will not embrace any wasp waists. There will, though, be a sting in the prices.

### The Newest Inventions

Many Queer Things Shown At Exhibition In London

Among the things displayed at the International Exhibition of Inventions at London were:

A hair-cutting apparatus with rubber protections which permits milks to sleep while her hair is being "set."

A double-pronged toasting fork which makes two pieces of toast where only one was made before.

A powder compact combined with a bangle to be worn like a wrist watch.

An attachment for a train or automobile window which improves the view of the passing scenery.

A "mechanical artist" takes photographs and then automatically chisels out a complete bust in stone in a short period.

### London's Debt To Thames

City Is In Real Sense Founded On Ships

Its growth into the largest city of the country and of the world is owed by London to many historical accidents and to one very important fact—its geographical position. The rest of government might have been elsewhere and London might have had to share its political ascendancy with Winchester or New York. But it was almost inevitable that a large trading community should be established around the lowest bridge on the Thames, which flows into the narrow sea heading to the Continent and to the world. The Thames is the root cause for London's existence, and the city is in a very real sense founded upon ships.—P.L.A. Monthly.

### Must Be The Climate

A report from Fort Erie, Ont., of a lemon nine inches in circumference growing on a plant in a home there is a "small potato story." Mrs. J. D. Gillock of Calgary, claims. She said she has a lemon tree that last year produced a lemon 17½ inches in circumference from which she made two pies and two glasses of lemonade. At present there is on the tree a green lemon, still growing, which measures 11½ inches in circumference.

A United States government scientist has advanced a theory that explosions in city sewers are caused, not by sewer gas, but by exhaust gas from automobiles, which is heavy and sinks into sewers.

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## BALDWIN PARTY HAS SAFE LEAD IN BRITISH ELECTIONS

London.—The National government will have a good working majority in the next parliament. While Labor gained and the huge Conservative majority of 1931 went crashing down, the government still retained sufficient seats to make its position reasonably secure.

Labor trailed with less than half the governmental total, while the opposition Liberals were routed, their leader, Sir Herbert Samuel, and their two chief whips going down to defeat.

Sixty-seven former Labor M.P.'s who lost their seats in 1931 were included in the results, of these 37 will return to parliament, 30 being defeated. Labor's strength appeared to be midway between that of 1929, when it was strong enough to form a government with Liberal support, and 1931, when it was overwhelmed by the National government parties.

The defeat of Sir Herbert Samuel marked the general rout of the opposition Liberals, who left the government three years ago in protest against the Imperial economic agreements. Those who stayed with the government as Liberal Nationals fared better.

Many Labor veterans, defeated in the avalanche of 1931, return to the next parliament at the expense of Liberals, Conservatives and National Labor. Among them are J. R. Clifton, former home secretary, A. V. Alexander, former first lord of the admiralty, who charged the government during the campaign with misrepresenting the strength of the navy, H. B. Lees-Smith, former postmaster-general, who defeated a government whip, and Herbert Morrison, leader of the Labor majority in the London county council and former minister of transport.

C. R. Attlee, leader of the parliamentary Labor party, and George Lansbury, his predecessor, both increased their majorities by several thousand. Sir Stafford Cripps was re-elected in Bristol East, but Miss Margaret Bondfield, former minister of labor, failed to come back in Wandsworth, where she was beaten by another woman, Miss Irene Ward, Conservative.

Conservatives extended congratulations to R. S. Hudson, minister of mines, the only minister to increase his majority. He sent it up from 16,324 in 1931 to 18,233 over R. Carrington-Willis, Labor, only other candidate.

Labor opened with a series of rapid gains, but then slowed down. The government developed strength in unexpected quarters. Salford, regarded by Conservatives as a key city, was held by the government—to the surprise of the experts who counted on heavier Labor gains.

The industrial districts showed a curious swinging in political fortunes. All of Birmingham's 12 divisions remained solidly Conservative, but Labor captured four of Manchester's 10 divisions.

Social Credit's first venture into British elections was unsuccessful, H. C. Bell losing his deposit in the Erdington division of Birmingham. Reginald Kenney, running as "National Divided" candidate, suffered the same fate in Bradford North.

### Permit Not Renewed

Correspondent For Nazi Newspaper Cannot Stay in England

London.—Leopold Von Hoersch, German ambassador to London, called at the foreign office for an explanation of the non-renewal of the permit to stay in England of Dr. H. D. Thost, whom the British press generally considers liaison officer for Adolf Hitler.

It was officially stated Dr. Thost's permit was not renewed "in the public interest." No protest or representations had been made, it was said.

Dr. Thost's announced post was that of correspondent for the Nazi newspaper Der Angriff. He left by planes for Berlin.

### Trade With Japan

Premier King Believes Trade War To End Soon

Ottawa.—On the eve of leaving for Washington to sign a reciprocity treaty, Premier Mackenzie King told a press conference here he believed the Canadian-Japanese trade war would be settled soon.

"There has been an exchange of views in the most friendly manner," the prime minister said, "and I expect an adjustment will be made shortly."

## Air Route Over Rockies

Pass In Northern British Columbia Discovered As Ideal

Vancouver.—A 100-mile-wide gap in Canada's towering western mountain ranges was described as near perfect for a trans-Canada air route by Dr. Charles Cammell, federal deputy minister of mines, told delegates of the western meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

He discovered it during his recent aerial tour of northern British Columbia, southeastern Yukon and the region from the Mackenzie district to the Arctic ocean.

Far up in British Columbia's hinterland close to the borders of the Yukon and the Northwestern Territories, the Rocky Mountain range pinches out and between there and the start of the Mackenzie range is the gap which is the only wide opening of the Canadian cordillera, Dr. Cammell said.

It offers far less hazardous flying conditions than any other gateway to the coast he said, not only because of its width but because it has from 1,000 to 1,700 feet less altitude than other mountain passes, and, in addition, is of a flat plateau nature with easily adaptable landing features.

In addition to his important discovery of the gap, Dr. Cammell reported of hitherto unknown territory. Dr. Cammell explored the myth of the so-called tropical valley in the Liard river district.

"I've been there in winter and in summer and there certainly is no indication of tropical climate or vegetation," he said. "True, there are a number of hot springs, some of which do not freeze over in temperatures of 30 degrees below zero, but they have no effect on the climate. They do affect the vegetation to a certain degree, however, and the grass grows as high as seven feet with other vegetation correspondingly luxuriant."

## Food Supplies Available

Manitoba Farmers in Crop Failure Area Receive Help

Winnipeg.—Food supplies to replenish lean larders in a triangular community affected by crop failure in the southwestern shores of Lake Winnipeg were ready for shipment last week. Relief officials were busily engaged in a check with municipal officials to ascertain further needs.

The government of Manitoba would undertake that no person would go hungry, Hon. W. R. Clubb, Manitoba minister of public works, told a delegation from the federal government of Saskatchewan. Municipal officials declared a large number of farmers were without enough to eat.

The district affected includes the rural municipalities of Glinville, Wilfrid, Armstrong, Erikdale, Coldwell and Rockwood. Majority of the farmers cultivate small parcels of land to mixed farming. They grow only enough wheat to supply themselves with flour.

## Check Wheat Board Work

Meeting Of Sub-Committee Was Merely General Survey

Ottawa.—Checking work on the Canadian wheat board, a sub-committee of the cabinet given direct jurisdiction over activities of the body held a lengthy meeting. The conference was described as a general survey.

There was no intention to force Canadian wheat on the market even at sacrifice prices, it was said following the sitting. Minimum price for No. 1 Northern at Fort William was fixed at 87½ cents a bushel as one of the first official acts of the wheat board which was named early last summer.

All heading departments closely allied with the wheat industry, Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce, is chairman of the sub-committee, with Hon. Charles Dunning, minister of finance, and Hon. James G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, as associates.

### Research Library Closed

Montreal.—Without financial support for the past two years, the Gast Chinese Research Library, considered one of the finest of its kind in the world, has been permanently closed to the public. It was unofficially announced the library would be placed in storage immediately.

### Judge For Seventh Year

Chicago.—For the seventh year, Walter Biggar of Dalhousie, Scotland, will preside as judge of the international livestock exposition, it was announced. Biggar, a noted livestock authority, will begin judging when the exposition starts on Nov. 30.

## Canadian Wheat Board

John I. McFarland May Continue As Head

Ottawa.—Reports here say John I. McFarland may continue as head of the Canadian wheat board. While the future of the board is a matter which has not been considered finally by the new administration, it has been understood he likely would be asked to continue and in this event he would remain long enough to bring his marketing policy to a conclusion.

Named last August, the other members of the board are D. Smith, vice-chairman, and H. C. Grant, all of Winnipeg. So far at any rate no requests for resignations have been sent to Mr. McFarland's associates, it was stated.

## An Italian Reprisal

Suppliers For London Perfumery Firm Withdraw Credit Facilities

London.—An Italian action, believed to be the first reprisal against Great Britain for imposition of League of Nations sanctions, was reported by the British press.

A London firm of perfumery manufacturers received a cablegram from its suppliers in Italy, reporting its credit facilities there had been withdrawn.

## IMPORTERS OF BRITISH GOODS TO ASK REFUNDS

Ottawa.—Opening the door to a volume of applications for refunds from importers of British goods, a judgment has been handed down by the exchequer court of Canada in a test case ruling the minister of national revenue had no power to collect dumping duties on goods entering Canada from Great Britain since June 23, 1932, following the Canada-United Kingdom trade agreement.

At that time the Customs Act was amended to exempt British goods from dumping duties under arbitrary valuations by the minister of national revenue. However, arbitrary values continued to be levied. The case was that of Blakie and Company, Toronto, importers of hats from Great Britain. Under the decision on the refund that other importers might ask on the strength of the judgment would be considerable, although national revenue officials were not prepared to make an estimate.

The decision confirms rulings of the tariff board more than a year ago in appeals of Thomson, Bostons and Sons of Montreal, importers of jupe twine from Shetland, and Blakie and Company that orders-in-council fixing arbitrary valuation of British imports coming in under the British preference were invalid.

## Landed Passengers Safely

Pilot Suffered Heart Attack But Stuck To Control

Bakersfield, Calif.—Captain Donald Buckman, 34, United States army pilot, won and lost an air dash against death when he safely landed three passengers at the airport here, only to collapse and die a few minutes later. Flying from March field, Captain Buckman apparently was seized with a heart attack as he raced through the air. Sticking to the control, he brought the plane down without mishap at Kern airport, and then disclosed to field attendants that he felt ill. He died 20 minutes later.

## THE NEW DUKE AND DUCHESS OF BUCCLEUCH



With the recent death of the Duke of Buccleuch, father of Lady Alice Montagu-Douglas-Scott, wife of Prince Henry, the Earl of Dalhousie succeeded to his father's title. Here we see the new Duke and Duchess of Buccleuch.

## SIR BASIL BLACKETT



One of the most eminent of British financial experts, who was killed in Germany when a train struck his automobile. He visited Canada in 1932.

## Record Flight

Jean Batten Crosses Ocean In Thirteen Hours

Pernambuco, Brazil.—New Zealand's young and adventurous girl flyer, Jean Batten, stepped from her aeroplane at Natal, being the first of her sex to fly alone across the South Atlantic.

She flew 1,281 miles from Thies, French Senegal, Her time of 13 hours and 15 minutes for the ocean hop bettered the solo record set by the Spaniard, Compo, of 18½ hours.

The youthful flyer, who took off from Lympe airport near London, also broke the record set by Capt. James Mollison of 82 hours and eight minutes from Lympe to Natal. She made the flight in 61 hours 15 minutes.

## To Be Deported

Man And Woman, Held At Request of British Authorities, To Be Returned To England

Quebec.—Deportation to England was ordered by Canadian immigration officials here for the man and woman held here at the request of British authorities under suspicion of complicity in the \$20,000 jewel theft from the London home of the Earl of Portarlington on Nov. 3.

The deportation order was announced on conclusion of an official enquiry into the couple's right of entry into Canada. The chief immigration officer at Quebec said the pair were considered undesirable.

## Value Of Education

Theory That There Has Been Too Much Education Is Tossed Aside

Wolfeville N.S.—The theory that too much education had been one cause of the depression was termed "false" and "stupid" by Dr. H. M. Tory, former president of the National Research Council of Canada, in receiving an honorary degree of doctor in civil law from Acadia University.

"As people rise in intelligence," he said, "so rises the state." He declared modern science had created far more jobs than it had destroyed.

## Machine Guns Stolen

London, Ont.—Theft of a German light machine gun from a Remembrance Day store window display was reported to police by the proprietor of an optical goods shop. Thieves broke into the Midlands Light Infantry barracks here and stole a Lewis machine gun, a service revolver and ammunition.

## Wheat Crop Less

Second Estimate Shows Production Lower Than Expected

Ottawa.—The Dominion bureau of statistics estimated Canada's 1935 wheat crop at 273,971,000 bushels; about 2,000,000 bushels less than that of 1934.

The crop report containing the second estimate of the wheat yield brought production down from a Sept. 11 estimate of 290,541,000 bushels to place it slightly below the 1934 yield while estimated yields of most other cereal crops were higher than those of last year.

The report said the 1935 season was similar to that of 1934-in that threatening returns did not fully substantiate first estimates of grain production.

Oats at 416,369,000 were almost 33,000,000 bushels less than in the Sept. 11 estimate but still well above the 1934 production of 321,120,000 bushels.

The report said reduction in this year's estimates was caused mainly by frost damage in Saskatchewan and Alberta. The bureau was forced to reduce the barley estimate by 7,000,000 bushels while flaxseed and rye also came down as threshing returns failed to support previous computations.

## Seek Further Loan

Alberta Government Needs Funds For November Financing

Edmonton.—Federal loan of \$2,000,000 to carry the Alberta government until the end of November if the province's general application for financial assistance cannot be submitted to Ottawa before the Dominion-provincial conference on Dec. 9, has been applied for, Premier Abernethy said.

"We have made this proposal to Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of finance. There has been no reply yet," said the premier.

The Alberta government is anxious to have an earlier conference with the Dominion in order to submit its refinancing proposals, which also involve a refunding scheme. As the Ottawa conference was postponed, the province faces the problem of handling this month's financing.

## MAY ESTABLISH AIR MAIL ROUTES ACROSS CANADA

Ottawa.—Aviation interests see in the conference to be held here towards the end of the month between representatives of the United Kingdom, the Irish Free State, Northern Ireland and Canada, a promise of considerable development in commercial aviation in this country. For some years after the war great strides were made in Canadian flying, but the era of administrative economy that descended on the country five years ago called a halt to this progress.

Flyers take the stand that to establish a trans-Atlantic air service only would be an expensive and unfinished policy. In order that full benefits be derived from it, they declared, there must be a steady and progressive development in the transcontinental services in Canada itself.

At one time postal and passenger services operated from Rimouski to Montreal. There the United States lines were picked up and air travellers could cross the continent to Canadian points by using the United States lines from Albany to Grand Forks, N.D.

Canadian services ran from there to Winnipeg, and westerly to the Rockies. As an alternative route air travellers could fly from Montreal to Toronto and Detroit, picking up the U.S. lines at that city.

Cutting down of the government air mail service made the Canadian lines unremunerative and they were gradually dropped. Only a few air mail lines are now operated, and there is no exclusively Canadian trans-continental service.

Those interested in aviation expect that, should the Imperial Airways establish its trans-Atlantic service, the Canadian government will re-enter the field by establishing the old air mail routes. It is expected also that, instead of Canadians being dependent on United States lines to cover the gap from Montreal to Winnipeg, advantage will be taken of the work done in the past four years to building landing fields north of the Great Lakes. There are now between 80 and 100 emergency landing fields either completed or approaching completion, thus creating a purely Canadian flying route from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

## SAYS HIGH TAXES ARE RETARDING MINING INDUSTRY

Vancouver.—Development of the mining industry in Canada has been slowed up by heavy taxation, J. Y. Murdock, president of Noranda Mines Ltd., told delegates to the western meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

Mr. Murdock explained he did not wish to convey the impression that if relief is not granted mines will quickly dwindle into insignificance.

"But I do definitely wish to say," he declared, "that the lives of our existing mines will be considerably shortened, and the prospect of finding new ones to replace them will be materially lessened."

"All will agree," he continued, "that Canada is a young country with magnificent potential mineral resources, but it must be significant that the decline in interest follows on the heels of a period during which mine taxes have been increased 250 per cent, and also immediately succeeding the imposition of a billion tax which was probably the worst which could be devised."

"Although this billion tax has been discontinued, the amount of tax levied under the Dominion income tax act amendments of 1935 was increased by 44 per cent over the previous year."

"The aggregate burden of direct gold mining taxation in Canada now amounts to more than 40 per cent of the final net profits, having regard to proper allowances being made for exhaustion of the ores. This is far too high. We are stunting our future."

## Tales Of Heroism

43 Persons Rescued From Shipwreck By Destroyer

Manila.—How survivors sang on wave-lashed rocks to keep up their spirits as they waited for the vessel, when the destroyer heavy docked with 43 persons rescued from boiling seas where the freighter Silverazel crashed.

Tales of heroism and horror revealed one woman victim went insane before drowning and that the vessel's missing captain surrendered his life belt to a crew member, then disappeared while trying to save his pet dog.

Bodies of two of the disaster's four victims were brought here by the destroyer. Practically all the survivors were suffering from exposure or minor injuries and two crew members who contracted pneumonia were rushed to hospitals.

The vessel, carrying five passengers and a crew of 49, crashed while en route here from San Francisco, but all survivors were rescued by rafts.

Of these, the survivors floated out to where rescuers from the Foxy and the destroyer Bulmer could pick them up.

Other survivors told how Capt. H. A. Lennard surrendered his life belt to an unprotected crew member, the last man ready to leave the rock for the rescue craft, 1,000 feet away.

When all others were aboard the raft, the captain tied his small dog around his neck and plunged into the water. He swam a short distance, but the dog's weight apparently was too much, and both disappeared in the turbulent waters of San Bernardino straits.

## Places Ban On Smoking

Employees Of Social Credit Government Must Obey Order

Edmonton.—Smoking by provincial government employees in office hours is banned under an order issued by the new Social Credit government. The order, which is signed by L. Sweeney, civil service commissioner, and which applies to all workers in the legislative buildings, also prohibits loitering in corridors or washrooms, while employees must remain at their work until the quitting bell rings.

Officials point out that an order-in-council passed in 1920 imposed a ban on smoking and laid down certain other regulations governing the conduct of employees, but that it has not been generally observed.

### Coming To Canada

Ottawa.—A delegation of British textile manufacturers is now on the way to Canada to attend the tariff board hearings in connection with rates of duty on cotton and other textiles next month.

